



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9569**
Yoshio UMEZAWA et al. : Docket No. 2002-0426A
Serial No. 10/089,040 : Group Art Unit 1652
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PROBE FOR PROTEIN-PROTEIN : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**
INTERACTION ANALYSIS, AND
METHOD OF USING IT FOR ANALYSIS
OF PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTION

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 6, 2004, the period for response having been extended for two months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.